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SUBJECT: UZBEKISTAN: LEAHY VETTING REQUEST FOR MARSHALL
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¶1. (U) This is an action request. Please see paragraph 2.

¶2. (U) Post requests that Department conduct a human rights review and Leahy vetting for one Government of Uzbekistan official nominated to participate in the Program for Advanced Security Studies (PTSS) 08-7 at the Marshall Center in Garmisch, Germany September 26-December 19, 2008. Post has no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the listed participant. Department's response is requested no later than close of business September 4.

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